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In Re Patent Application of:

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Title: IMAGE COMMUNICATION APPARATUS, IMAGE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND IMAGE COMMUNICATION METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))

Applicant in the above-identified application hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to and including February 9, 2005 for responding to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2005. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

☒ A check in the amount of \$800.00 is enclosed herewith, which encompasses the \$450 two-month extension of time fee and the \$350 extra claims fee as indicated on the enclosed Amendment Transmittal Letter.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 209976.009) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

☐ Extension fee in the amount of \$____.00

☒ Any deficiencies or overpayments in the above-calculated fee.

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